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21th SANCTUARY ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA
10 October 2007 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM New England Foundation for the Arts Boston, MA

- 9:00 A.M. Welcome, Review of Agenda and Approval of 19th SAC Minutes (Susan Farady)
- 9:15 – 10:45 SAC Business (Craig MacDonald)
- i. New Members Welcome
 - ii. Terms of SAC
 - iii. Election of Officers
 - iv. New SAC Seats
 - v. Stellwagen Alive! —Friends of Our National Marine Sanctuary
 - vi. SBNMS Leadership Award (Nathalie Ward)
 - vii. SAC Coordinator Announcements (Ward)
- 10:45 *Coffee Break*
- 11:00 – 12:00 Ongoing Issues:
- i. Draft Management Plan (MacDonald)
 - ii. LNG Proposal—Update (Leila Hatch)
 - iii. Zoning Working Group (Ben Cowie-Haskell)
- 12:00 -1:00 *LUNCH*: "Building an Ecosystem Services Model for Stellwagen Bank." (Lew Incze)
- 1:00 - 2:00 "An Ecological Characterization of the Stellwagen Bank NMS" (NCCOS: Randy Clark/ Bryan Cos)
- 2:00 – 4:00 Constituent Reports:
- i. "Impacts to whales from hook fisheries, including vessels trolling within the Stellwagen Bank National Marine Sanctuary" (PCCS)
 - ii. Vessel Strikes; Update (Regina Asmutis-Silvia)
 - iii. Sister Sanctuary Summer 2007 Internships (PCCS and Dolphin Fleet)
 - iv. Marine Debris Project
- 4:00 – 4:45 Other Council Business
- i. "Seeking Solutions for SBNMS"
- 4:45 – 5:00 Public Comment
- 5:00 P.M. ADJOURN

